GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA

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SERVICE TAX DEFAULTERS
ANANDRAO ADSUL

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have decided to introduce stringent provisions to penalise the service tax defaulters;

(b) if so, the provisions made thereof; and

(c) the names and the number of such services being brought under the purview of these provisions?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE(SHRI GINGEE N.RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) No new provisions to penalise the service tax defaulters have been proposed by the Government in the Finance Bill 2002;

(b) & (c) Does not arise in view of (a) above.